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Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 Twelfth Street, SW Washington, DC 20445

Re:

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Black Hills Corporation, PrairieWave Communications, Inc. *et al.* for Authority Pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act, as Amended, to Transfer Black Hills FiberCom, Inc.'s Domestic Section 214 Authority; WC Docket No. 05-201

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Black Hills Corporation, Black Hills Fiber Systems, Inc. (fka Black Hills FiberCom, Inc.), Black Hills FiberCom, L.L.C. ("Black Hills FiberCom"), and PrairieWave Communications, Inc. ("PrairieWave"), the Applicants in the above-referenced matter, hereby submit the following supplemental information pursuant to the request of the reviewing staff.

On May 26, 2005, the staff requested additional information with respect to the ownership of PrairieWave Holdings, Inc., which is referenced in Exhibit B of the Joint Application. PrairieWave Holdings, Inc. is a corporation incorporated in the State of Delaware. Its principal address is 5100 S Broadband Lane, Sioux Falls, SD 57108. It is the holding company that owns 100% of PrairieWave Communications, Inc. The following are the only entities that own ten percent (10%) or greater of PrairieWave Holdings, Inc.:

Name:

Alta Communications VIII, L.P.

Address:

200 Clarendon Street, 51st Floor

Boston, Massachusetts 02116

Citizenship:
Percentage Owned:

USA 42%

Principal Business:

Investment

Name:

BancAmerica Capital Investors I, L.P.

Address:

100 N. Tryon Street, 25th Floor

Charlotte, North Carolina 28255

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Citizenship:

USA

Percentage Owned:

45%

Principal Business:

Investment

The staff also requested clarification of the public interest statement on page 4 of the Joint Application. Based on our discussion with the staff, we clarify that the transfer of control is from Black Hills Fiber Systems, Inc. to PrairieWave Communications, Inc. This transfer of control will serve the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding these amendments to the Joint Application, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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